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New ad. in this issue. Read it. Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

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Mrs. F. E. Drake invites you to inspect the latest spring styles in millinery, Friday and Saturday. Parlors over Stone's Drug Store.

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H. F. & E. E. Andrews will have a carload of Iowa hams Friday.

Green Mountain potatoes 40c per bushel at Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

All are cordially invited to attend the Millinery opening at Mrs. Allen's, Friday and Saturday.

Best varieties of sweet pea seeds at Stone's.

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Private sale of household goods. Parlor, two chamber sets, sideboard, dining set, ice chest and carpets at L. M. Lunt's, South Paris. Open evenings and Saturday.

We have some extra good values in glassware, including water sets, four-piece sets and berry sets. Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

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The gal. stock White, \$1.50. one gal. polished oil, 60 cents. Two gal. best white paint \$2.10. at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Bring old glasses to Dr. Parmenter. If you have the 10 ct. neck ribbons at Thomas Smiley's.

Salted peanuts, 15c per lb. at Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

A good trade in bananas for Saturday, April 15th. No. 1 fruit, medium size, 20 for 25c. Chas. F. Riddell.

Repair work and horse shoeing receive prompt attention at Robert Patterson's.

Special low prices for the next 30 days on men's and women's Oxfords, consisting of samples and misfits, at the Pine State shoe store.

Green stamps at L. M. Lunt's.

Elastic Floor Varnishes at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Easter Opening at Mrs. R. L. Powers', Apr. 14 and 15, all invited.

Good dairy butter taken in exchange for groceries. Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

Another new lot of 12 1/2 ct. muslins at Thomas Smiley's.

You will not find any second-hand glasses at Hill's, the optician.

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Spring Millinery Opening of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets at Mrs. G. A. Allen's, Friday and Saturday, April 14 and 15.

Room paper, new lines at Stone's.

Nobby walking skirts at L. M. Lunt's.

If you have a camera you would like to sell or exchange, see Cottage studio ad.

Read what S. B. & Z. S. Prince have to say about trading stamps on another page.

Mrs. F. E. Drake, for the past 12 years head milliner at Mrs. Hill's, has opened rooms over Stone's Drug Store. All are invited at the Millinery Opening, this Friday and Saturday.

Pure White Lead at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Fresh laid eggs 15c per dozen at Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

If you have a camera that you are not sure is working all right see Cottage studio ad.

See ad. Seamless work shoes \$2.00 per pair.

Blood oranges 15c per dozen at Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

The exhibition of the Easter hats and bonnets that will be displayed at Mrs. G. A. Allen's, displays a series of pleasant surprises in beauty and elegance.

Stock White, for outside work. Very strong, economical and white as snow, at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Chas. E. Brooks, Bates '06, has returned to college.

Annie C. Bagley is visiting relatives in Vermont for a few weeks.

The quiet club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. M. W. Sampson.

John Walker and wife have gone to Poland Spring for the season.

Nad Cross spent two days visiting friends in Lewiston last week.

John Hayes has moved his family into the Baker house on Main street.

There will be no preaching service at the Methodist church, Sunday morning.

The Barton Reading club meets this Thursday afternoon with Mrs. A. D. Park.

C. H. Leighton started Tuesday on a business trip to the eastern part of the state, expecting to be gone a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fifield return from Baltimore, Md., this week, where he has been attending medical college.

Norway Municipal Court.

Mattland Collins was in court, Monday morning, on complaint of S. L. Prescott, and received a sentence of 60 days, for larceny. Collins had been boarding at Prescott's Norway Boarding House, and pledged as security for an unpaid board bill, a dress suit case, violin, overcoat and revolver. Sunday morning he took these articles and went up the line on the paper train. State detective A. P. Bassett was notified. He went to Berlin, found the man and brought him back for trial.

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Village Corporation Meeting.

Moderator—A. S. Kimball.
Clerk—George L. Curtis.
Assessor—A. J. Stearns, H. L. Horne, C. S. Akers.
Treas.—George L. Curtis.
Collector—Geo. A. Cole.
Engineers—Chas. F. Hathaway; 1st assistant, John F. Cullinan; 2d assistant, T. P. Richardson.
Fire Police—C. A. Morse, H. E. Mixer, Geo. Walker, S. G. Hatch, A. O. Sargent, J. P. Edwards.

APPROPRIATED.
Extinguishment of debt.....\$ 500.00
Shade trees..... 20.00
Repairs to fire alarm..... 125.28
Total.....\$ 645.28

There was a very good attendance of voters at the annual meeting of the village corporation on Monday evening. The best of feeling prevailed and while some matters were thoroughly discussed, the actions taken on the whole seem to meet with the approval of the citizens.

Clark G. L. Curtis opened the meeting shortly after 7 o'clock and under article 1, called for the citizens to vote for moderator. Hon. A. S. Kimball was unanimously elected, and took charge of the meeting.

Coming to article 2, a motion to choose all the officers on one ballot was made and the vote declared carried. The question then arose as to whether the corporation could combine articles in this manner and elect the rest of the officers before the clerk was chosen. The vote was questioned and on show of hands was lost. G. L. Curtis was unanimously re-elected clerk for the next year.

Under article 4, the remaining officers, who were to be chosen were elected on one ballot as above.

Article 4 in regard to paying members of the fire department for their services, was passed until after consideration of the report of the committee of By-laws.

Under article 5, the committee of By-laws, reported on the revision of the By-laws. Explanatory remarks were made by the moderator as chairman of the committee and by assessor A. J. Stearns. The first section provides that meeting for examination and inspection of the fire apparatus be held once each month from April to November inclusive as provided in the original section 12 was adopted.

The second section was read. C. P. Barnes, esq., moved that the section be amended by adding after the words "Hook and Ladder Company," "and all Hose Companies," so that the same should read, "Upon an alarm of fire from any box the Hook and Ladder Company and all Hose Companies shall respond."

This motion called for remarks from several who advocated the district system on the ground of economy, that it was needless to call out 65 men for the sort of fire alarms that have been had this year. On the contrary citizens cited instances like the Truman and Ward fires where one cart did not hold hose enough to reach the fire from the nearest hydrant, which was a dangerous thing if only one company was to respond. Several similar locations were cited and the question was asked as to which company should have responded to the last alarm that was sounded, which amused the voters much. The section as amended, providing for all the companies to respond to all fires, was adopted. This also disposed of sections 3, 4, 5, and 6.

Under section 7 in relation to the providing of shafts and horses to pull the fire apparatus, it was voted to pass the article.

Section 7, fixing the pay of the clerk of each company at one dollar for attending each monthly meeting and each member fifty cents; all members shall receive one dollar for attending fires, was adopted and the moderator ruled that this disposed of article 4 of the warrant which had been tabled.

The amendment to section 1, of article 4 of the village By-laws, which permitted orders to be drawn by the assessors without counter-signature by the clerk was adopted as recommended.

The article in relation to setting out of shade trees was explained by M. L. Kimball, esq., and the sum of \$80 was appropriated.

The article in relation to appropriation for watchman's services was passed over.

Enthusiasm for the Road.

Well Attended Meeting of Norway Board of Trade.—Committee Appointed to Arrange Land Damage.

There was a good attendance at Enthusiasm House Hall, Wednesday evening, composed of citizens of the town and village. It was a meeting of the Board of Trade called for the purpose of considering support of a railroad to Waterville.

Wm. G. Rand of Boston presented the proposition of the owners of the company that had bought the franchise for the Oxford Central electric railroad, which was clear, definite and positive. It was that the company proposed to build the road, and all that was asked of any citizen, individual, town or organization was an agreement to give the company a clear right of way for the road, the deed to be delivered when the road was ready to operate.

He stated that the company had guaranteed the land damage as far as that town was concerned, and the company also Norway. He stated that the company did not want to have any legal complications on account of land damage, and they did want that responsible citizens would take care of any such claims that might arise. The company would immediately upon the work, and get ready for its operation.

Selectman A. J. Stearns advocated the appointment of a committee to ascertain the amount of land damage required and to recommend a plan of securing of money to pay for the same.

B. G. McIntire of Waterville spoke in relation to the practical character of the movement, and said that all damage in Waterville would be disposed of by the citizens of his town. W. H. Kildore and L. E. McIntire spoke to the same effect.

Addresses were made in regard to the matter by Wm. C. Leavitt, Pres. E. N. Swift, J. A. Roberts, H. B. Foster, H. J. Bangs and Dr. H. L. Bartlett, all very favorable, and advocating the appointment of a committee. Pres. Swift then appointed F. W. Sanborn, H. B. Foster, Dr. H. L. Bartlett and J. A. Roberts on the committee, to arrange for the settlement of all land damage.

The plans were studied and questions answered by Mr. Rand, in which he stated that it was the company's desire to build at once, that unless prevented by some exceptional contingency that it was to be begun at once, completed and put in operation this season, from Norway village to East Stoneham, and probably the South Waterville branch as well.

After the railroad matter was disposed of, the matter of a watermill and rice, which had been passed over at both town and village corporation meeting, was brought up and advocated strongly by the president, A. J. Stearns, esq., spoke of the position of the municipal officers of the town and corporation. It was voted to petition the assessors to call a special meeting of the village corporation to act on the matter of watermill's service. The meeting then adjourned.

Home Damaged by Fire.

R. W. Parker, who has been visiting his parents here, has returned to Sanford to attend to the repairing of his house, which was partly destroyed by fire recently.

The Sanford Tribune of April 7 says: An alarm was rung in Friday night for about 9 o'clock last Friday night, a fire at the residence of Ralph W. Parker on Cottage street. The immediate cause is not known but it is thought to have been caused by a lighted cigar. The loss is estimated at about one thousand dollars but fully covered by insurance. The fire companies deserve great credit for their work at this fire. The building was located quite a distance from the fire stations and the roof was ablaze before the alarm was rung in. But in just twenty minutes from the first alarm the all-out signal was given.

L. L. Howard and wife have returned from Portland.

George Fogg has recently had his buildings reshingled.

T. L. Heath and L. L. Howard are working at Heath's quarry getting out a contract job of curbing to go to Portland.

Death of Jonathan Whitehouse.

Jonathan Whitehouse died on Sunday evening at nine o'clock, which day was his ninety-second birthday. Though he had one severe illness during the winter he had recovered and appeared to be in good health up to within a few days. He came up town as usual on Wednesday and spent a couple hours at the post-office and elsewhere. On Thursday he was taken sick and failed slowly until Sunday evening.

He was a son of Benjamin and Sarah Whitehouse, who came from Middlebury, N. H., and was born in that part of Oxford which was formerly a part of Hebron. In 1835 he married Harriet, daughter of Benjamin Herrick, and resided on a farm until 1870, when he removed to Norway village. Mrs. Whitehouse died in 1882. There are two children, Sarah M., wife of Frank T. Pike, and Esther H. Whitehouse, who lived at and cared for him during his declining years. Mr. Whitehouse also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Deborah Rowe, who is very sick at her home on Fore street, and Mrs. Mary Dunham of Auburn, also a brother, Daniel Whitehouse of Brooksville, Mass.

He was an active and industrious man and very fond of out door life. Each year he had a fine garden and worked with great interest and devotion in it, and he was sure to be busily employed about something, this spring having worked up four cords of wood. He joined Norway Grange in its early days and was a loyal and enthusiastic worker. For many years he served the Grange as chaplain. He was a life long Democrat, and voted his party nominee in each presidential election since he became a voter. For almost thirty years he served as sexton at Pine Grove cemetery.

With one exception he was the oldest man in the village, and in conversation with the other men and often expressed a wish that he might live to his 92nd birthday, a wish which was granted him. In his death Norway loses another of our estimable men, as has been expressed another great oak has fallen, whose absence will be noticed for a long time.

Funeral services were held at his late home, Wednesday afternoon at 1:30, conducted by Rev. E. S. Riddett, and burial was at Pine Grove cemetery.

Death of Ernest M. Swift.

After an illness of several weeks from the grip, Ernest M. Swift died at seven o'clock, Tuesday evening, at his home in Cambridgeport, Mass., where he had resided with his mother about two years. He was the son of the late Arthur H. and Lizzie F. Swift, was a native of Paris, but spent the greater portion of his life in Norway. He was a graduate of Norway High School, later of Comer's Commercial college, and found employment as stenographer in a wholesale store in Boston. He was nearly 22 years of age at the time of his death.

He was a young man of more than ordinary ability and of most excellent character, and was highly esteemed by everyone who knew him. A host of friends feel a sense of personal loss in his death. The body is to be brought to South Paris this Thursday afternoon, and prayers will be held at the place of interment in Riverside cemetery.

Frank M. Buswell has charge of Eastern Telephone office during the absence of C. H. Leighton.

Millinery openings, Friday and Saturday. The milliners hope to greet all their friends and patrons.

Robert Patterson has bought out Arthur Miller and has begun work on the Cummings blacksmith shop, Bridge street.

George W. Winslow is to move from the rent over the Norway Savings Bank to the Boynton house, corner of Beal and Marston street.

Mrs. C. E. Holt is thinking of going soon to Dr. King's hospital, at Portland, for medical treatment for a growth on the side of the neck.

Charles H. Danforth, accompanied by his friend, C. J. Musick, has been spending a week's vacation on Tufts college, here, returning Wednesday.

At the meeting of Mount Hope Rebekah Lodge held Friday evening five candidates received the degree. After the work, refreshments of coffee and cake were served.

A Lenten talk will be given to the young ladies and young men of the Universalist parish at the parsonage, Friday evening at 7:30. Any young ladies or young men without a church home are invited to present.

Shade Trees for Norway Streets.

"The planting of shade trees along the streets of Norway may not be beneficial to the present generation," said Merton L. Kimball at the meeting of the Village Corporation on Monday night, "but we should think of those who are to come after us and the pleasure they will have in viewing the result of our work. While the corporation is not in a position financially to appropriate a large amount of money for the commencing of the work, I believe that a few dollars should be voted, for it is easy to see that the appearance of our streets would be greatly benefited if the sidewalks were lined with shade trees. I move that the sum of \$80 be appropriated for that purpose, the money to be expended as the assessors see fit."

The motion was carried without a dissenting vote, and many of those present declared that a much larger amount could have been asked for and obtained. Already plans are under way to observe the planting of the first tree, purchased by the assessors from the appropriation, but none of the suggestions made have been acted upon. It is not unlikely, however, that the first tree will be planted on Arbor day and that the school children will take an important part in the exercises. While the holiday has not yet been named by Gov. Cobb, it will probably be May 15th.

The assessors will endeavor to have the trees shipped from the nurseries so that they will arrive here in time to be planted on that day. It has been suggested to the assessors that they appoint a committee of public spirited citizens to arrange a short program of singing by school children and some "small talk" by some of the older citizens on the importance of Arbor day and the necessity of growing shade trees on the village streets if the beauty of the village is to be increased.

Thus far the suggestion has met with great favor, and several have promised to do all they can to further the plan.

Superintendent of Schools, Charles P. Barnes, believes that the school children will be glad to take part in public exercises prior to the planting of the first tree, and the assessors are of the opinion that such exercises would be helpful in inducing other citizens to plant trees on their own land.

Strenuous Times for the Birds.

English sparrows and pigeons have had much trouble this spring for supremacy over choice building lots. A few days ago a flock of pigeons commenced building their nest under the roof at Harriman's grocery store. No sooner had the foundation twigs been placed in position than a pair of sparrows caught sight of the work and a battle was started which lasted more than two hours, and resulted in the pigeons deserting the fort. Now they have built a nest in the eaves on the main front of Charles L. Hathaway's house, while the sparrows are enjoying life in the pigeons' nest over the grocery store.

Tuesday afternoon two sparrows wishing the same place under the electric light hood at the corner of Main and Cottage streets engaged in a battle which ended on the sidewalk in front of Beal's Hotel, after one of the birds had been killed and the other rendered too weak to fly. A three-cornered fight between the sparrows, pigeons and robins is not an unusual sight these days, although the robins prefer to select new places and avoid trouble.

George B. Hilborn has returned from Augusta.

Walter L. Gray was in Boston last week on business.

L. W. Hollis and family have moved to a farm in Sumner.

Orin Smith, esq., suffered the loss of his office fittings in Presque Isle, by a fire which occurred in the early morning of Tuesday last week. The old opera house building, in which his office was, was totally destroyed, and all that was saved were papers and safe. His loss was \$1,700, insurance \$800. He immediately opened for practice in another building, of which he had the charge for letting.

Sunday marked the closing up of another Conference year at the Methodist church. In the morning the pastor, Mr. Brooks, preached to a large congregation, taking for his text the word "Amen." Four were baptized, five received into the church on probation, and two into full membership. Excellent music was furnished. The evening service was one of praise to God for His many blessings upon the church during the Conference year. Mr. Brooks expects to return to Norway for another year.

At the entertainment and supper Wednesday evening at Concert Hall the following was the program:

Duet, A. Night in Venice, Lincourt and Tower.
Reading, The Volunteer, Organist.
Solo, selected,.....Marguerite Finney
Monologue, Simple Sam Simpson.
Solo, selected,.....Walter Chandler.
Solo, selected,.....Miss Tower.
Reading, selected,.....Miss Finney.
Declaration, (No. 2), The Habitant, Drummond.
Solo, selected,.....Frank Kimball.
Solo, selected,.....E. E. Tower.

Board of Trade.

The South Paris Board of Trade held its annual meeting, Wednesday evening at the assessor's office. The secretary's report shows forty-six members in good standing. A vote of thanks was passed to Representative Gray and the members of the village corporation committee who were chosen to secure the passage of the lighting bill by the legislature. There were also some informal discussions. The officers chosen for the ensuing year are:

Pres.—James S. Wright.
V. Pres.—J. H. Bean, Arthur E. Forbes.
Sec.—Geo. W. Frothingham.
Treas.—J. F. Plummer.

P. H. S. Base Ball Schedule.

The schedule for Paris High School base ball team for this season has been arranged as follows:

April 12—Hebron at Hebron.
April 22—Edward Little High at Paris.
April 27—Lewiston High at Paris.
May 6—Bridgton Academy at Paris.
May 13—Bridgton High at Bridgton.
May 20—Leavitt at Turner.
May 27—Den.
June 3—Open.
June 10—Bridgton High at Paris.

Congregational Circle.

The annual business meeting of the Congregational society circuit was held on Monday afternoon, Apr. 18, at the vestry. The officers elected were:

Pres.—Mrs. G. A. Wilson.
V. Pres.—Mrs. S. F. Briggs.
2d Vice Pres.—Hattie Riddell.
Sec.—Mrs. O. E. Barrows.
Executive Com.—Mrs. Hathaway, Mrs. H. N. Bolster, Anna Morse, Mrs. Barnes, Hattie Haskell, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. N. D. Bolster, Mrs. Talbot, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Fenfold, Mrs. W. P. Maxim, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Farrar, Mrs. Elder.

Special Corporation Meeting.

A large and enthusiastic gathering of voters was held Tuesday evening at Enthusiasm House Hall. The best of feeling prevailed and all measures received cordial support from every voter. The matter of parks which was accidentally omitted at the annual meeting was brought up and the sum of \$75 appropriated.

Without dissent the Village corporation charter as amended by the Legislature permitting the establishment of a municipal lighting plant was adopted. It was voted to buy 500 feet new hose and \$300 was appropriated for the same. An amended by-law in relation to bicycle riding, the village prohibiting riding upon sidewalks, specifying penalty and defining a sidewalk was adopted.

W. J. Wheeler was in Boston on business several days last week.

John Toothaker of Dixfield was a guest at A. D. Park's last week.

Milton McAllister has spent his vacation from Bates college at home.

A new bell and fixtures have been ordered for the Methodist church.

Mt. Mica Lodge, I. O. O. F., work the second degree, Thursday evening.

Susie M. Wheeler has returned from a visit of several weeks in Rosindale, Mass.

Frank L. Doble and wife of Methuen, Mass., have been visiting here several days.

You should call and see N. Dayton Bolster & Co.'s new carpet room at their store.

THE NORWAY ADVERTISER

Coming Events.

April 21—Anniversary dance, Knights of Pythias, Grange Hall, South Waterford.
April 22—Auction, Paris Town Farm.
April 23—Easter Sunday.
April 23—Apron sale and supper, Concert Hall, benefit Episcopal church.
April 25—Fast Day.

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Harris L. Elliott of Rumford, and Albert W. Grover of Bethel, have been nominated coroners; Edwin H. Gleason of Mexico, H. L. Holmes, Welchville, and Louis H. Veilleux, Rumford Falls, notaries public; George A. Chandler of West Sumner, justice of the peace.

Benjamin Morningstar of New York city will this season build a cottage on the shore of Silver Lake, Alaska. There will be no and all stable in connection. Mr. Morningstar was much impressed with the stay here last summer, and is of the opinion that some of his New York friends will also build summer homes in this locality.

The rural schools of Hebron will begin April 24, excepting Brighton Hill which begins April 17. The following teachers have been appointed:

H. L. Weymouth, Brighton Hill.
Kate Morrill, Adams.
Lennie Beane, Center School.
Grace E. Bumpus, Center School.
Maud Moody, Mountain Avenue.
Mrs. Alice Howard Whitman, Nelson district.
Teachers examinations will occur Saturday, April 22, at 1 o'clock at Center school-house, district, No. 6.

SOUTH PARIS

A pleasant birthday party was given Friday at the home of John Bennett on Nichols street. The day was the 72d anniversary of Mr. Bennett's birth, and the 7th anniversary of C. N. Porter, who was present as a guest. Other guests were Oscar Bennett and wife of Norway, and Helen N. Porter, wife and son Alton of this place. An all-day gathering much enjoyed by all present. Mr. Porter, by the way, is the youngest of four brothers and sisters, whose ages aggregate 826 years.

Bolster District.

C. Freeland Penley called on friends here last Sunday.

Laforest York of Bethel was at J. S. Brown's last Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Cummings is at Yarmouth caring for Mrs. John Simonson.

S. R. Parsons, who has been in poor health for several weeks, is not improving.

John Small, general agent for the International Shears Co., is home for a few days.

Everett D. Brown, '06, University of Maine, has accepted a position as teacher in the high school at Greenville.

Arthur Talbot, who has been confined to the house for the past three weeks by illness, is now able to go out of doors.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cummings will not return to their home in Buckfield at present. Mrs. Cummings is working for Mrs. F. L. Whitman and Mr. Cummings, who had the misfortune to cut his ankle severely while chopping wood, is staying at his father's, Freeland Cummings'.

NORTH FRYEBURG.

E. S. Hutchins is in Groveton, N. H. Our sick ones are all thought to be gaining.

Harry Bemis is at work for Ben Brown of Lovell.

Mrs. Emma Brown is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stephen Brown.

The Exonathen Club meets Thursday April 13 with Mrs. Dora Jones.

Wilson Webb accompanied by his son Bert made a short trip to Portland, Saturday.

Universalist Guild will give a supper and entertainment at Red Men's hall Wednesday, April 19, at the usual hour.

Mrs. Caleb Brickett received a short visit from her sister, Annie Allard of Malden, Mass., who is at home on a vacation.

Mrs. Charles Howe of Fryeburg and three children are spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Brown.

The following people are painting their buildings this spring: Jay Chandler, Elwood Bemis, John Flint and V. H. Johnson.

NORTH WATERFORD.

A Frog Concert.
The croak of the frogs is heard, which reminds us that spring is with us.

Francis Stevens is at work at Harvey Parker's.

Mrs. Bertha Saunders and daughter Elizabeth went to Bingham on a visit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Millett and children were at Mrs. Millett's father's, C. H. Rice's last Sunday.

Roy Wardwell and Cecil Kimball were at G. B. and E. W. Rice's last week sawing wood with their gasoline engine.

Mrs. E. E. Drake, for the past 12 years head milliner at Mrs. Hill's, has opened rooms over Stone's Drug Store. All are invited at the Millinery Opening, this Friday and Saturday.

EAST HEBRON.

Mrs. Cassia Perkins returned from Sumner last Sunday.

Mrs. Allen is at her home for a few days, at Turner Four Corners.

On account of ill health, H. A. Record is taking a short vacation, visiting old friends.

The trade between Henry Whitman and Mr. Strothers is broken up, and the latter has moved his goods store.

Stilman Hersey of North Auburn, and Oscar Roberts, a former resident of this place, are said to be doing as well as can be expected since their severe sickness and operations.

OXFORD.

McAllister-Brockway.
William H. Brockway and Florence M. McAllister were married in Lowell, Mass., April 6. Mrs. Brockway was formerly a resident of Oxford, a highly educated and popular young lady, and she has the best wishes of her many friends in this place for her future happiness. Her mother, Mrs. J. L. Holden, and her brother, Walter Holden, went to Lowell last week to be present at the wedding ceremony.

In Memoriam.

On Saturday afternoon, April 9th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hawkes in Oxford village, occurred the funeral of their only daughter, Mrs. Ida B. Haggett, late of Portland, aged 29 years. Mrs. Haggett had been ill for several months, principally with an affection of the heart. The occasion was particularly sad, as it was only a year and four months since a large circle of friends were gathered there to witness the beautiful marriage ceremony and her going away, a happy bride, with her husband, Edward S. Haggett, to their home in Portland. Rev. Frederick Newport of the Congregational church officiated both at the marriage and the funeral. Appropriate selections were sung by a quartette under the direction of George Jones.

The floral tributes were many and beautiful from personal friends, as also from the Congregational society and the Sons of Temperance Division. Mrs. Haggett was possessed of musical talents which she carefully trained and willingly used for the good of society, being for a long time a member of the Congregational church choir. She was a charter member of the Temperance Division, and always took an active part in its work, as also that of the Christian Endeavor society. Beside the husband and parents, she is survived by one brother, Hon. Frank Hawkes of Boston, Mass. They all have the warm sympathy of a large circle of friends, who had great respect and love for Mrs. Haggett, and who feel that the sad loss is truly a mutual one. The burial was in the family lot in the Congregational cemetery.

Mrs. Caroline Bumpus is ill and under a physician's care.
C. H. Bumpus is shingling for James Kay and Fred Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Minot visited friends in town, Saturday.
Walter Bean and his son Willie were in Portland on business, Saturday.

Mrs. Anson Holden and her sister, Hattie Andrews, are visiting friends in Gardiner.

Peter Vehnne of Worcester, Mass., spent part of last week at his parental home here.

W. S. French met with an accident while at work in a saw mill recently and is suffering from a broken thumb.

Dr. A. L. Hersey, who has spent the winter in the South, has reached his daughter's home in Boston and will soon be at his home here.

Mrs. E. E. Drake, for the past 12 years head milliner at Mrs. Hill's, has opened rooms over Stone's Drug Store. All are invited at the Millinery Opening, this Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Littlewood, who have spent the past two months with their daughter, Mrs. Lester Faunce of Somersworth, N. H., will return to their home in Oxford next week.

ALBANY.

Grace Sawin visited at Frank Bean's last week.

Nina Bean went to Norway, Monday, where she commenced the spring term of school in the Pierce district.

Annie Cummings, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cummings, has been ill with the grip but is somewhat better.

Leslie Cummings, who is employed by Merrill, Sprague & Co., West Bethel, has been ill with the grip but is somewhat better.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos L. Bean and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Beau in Lewiston last week. Mr. Beau also went to Boston on business.

The ladies' circle was entertained on Thursday afternoon and evening by the married ones. Much enjoyment was obtained by all who participated in the entertainment.

Song District.

Frank Upton is at Roscoe Emery's. S. Kimball went to Northwest Albany, Saturday, April 8.

Leslie Kimball was putting his pulp in the river last week.

Chas. Haskell is stopping with Herman Brown, awhile.

Abner B. Kimball took a trip to Stark and Shelburne last week.

School will be reopened May 8, with Helen Bisbee of here as teacher.

Bryce Kimball with his daughter Gustie took a trip to Bethel the 5th.

Mrs. J. E. Good is going the rounds delivering her soap order this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brown and children spent the 2d at her brother's, Abner Kimball's.

Mrs. Clara Good with Una and Roy spent the 7th with her neighbor, Mrs. Mary Brown.

Mrs. Leslie Kimball with her two children was at her aunt's, Mrs. Roscoe Emery's last week.

Herman Brown killed a pig last week, which weighed when dressed 238 pounds. He sold it to Edwin Rowe of Bethel.

Jack Kimball and Arnold Brown had a very pleasant trip to North Waterford, where they were there for the day called on Robert Kimball and Walter Brown.

Mrs. Gustie Bryant with three of her children, Mary, Charlie and George of Oxford, who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Augustus Lamere of Bethel, was at her uncle's, Bryce Kimball's, a few days last week.

WEST BUCKFIELD.

The assessors were through here Saturday.

Louis S. Clay is moving to Paris Hill, from New Hampshire.

Wilbur and Georgia Warren of North Buckfield, were at Harry Buck's, Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Warren of North Buckfield spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Buck.

Mrs. James Richards' mother, Mrs. John Thorne, of Buckfield, passed away Friday morning. Funeral services Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Bonney has been quite sick with a cold. Vina was at home over Sunday. Jennie Bonney attended the dance at Buckfield, Friday night.

WEST SUMNER.

Fifteenth Wedding Anniversary.
Mr. and Mrs. Selden Barrett celebrated their fifteenth wedding anniversary April 5th, by giving a dance here in the village. Although a rainy day, there were here and was a faithful member till his death. He will be greatly missed by the church, his neighbors and many friends.

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A Smart Girl.
Merlie Philbrook, aged sixteen years, whose mother died when she was quite young, has been housekeeper for her father for quite a long time, doing all the work, and quite a dressmaker.

Recently she cut and fitted a dress and made it for herself, and the only guide she had to go by was a dress she borrowed of a schoolmate. She got a good fit, and we think it a pretty good job, and many older ones can't do better.

There are now three vacant rents in this village.

Ethel Allen visited friends in Bethel a few days recently.

Walter Rollins of Bethel was in this village one day last week.

Wesley Pool, of Shelburne, N. H., was in this village last Tuesday.

Walter Merrill has moved his family to Gorham, N. H., where he has a job of work.

Blanche Luxton was in this village recently, canvassing for a soap order she is getting up.

Florence Skillings, who has been away several weeks, visiting her sister, has returned home.

A. J. Haskell, who went away on a business trip for several days, returned home Sunday.

Fred Ordway and wife, who have been away on a visit to relatives, returned home last Saturday.

John Carlton, the ferryman for the past several summers, is here again as ferryman for this year, and will be ready for business soon as the boat is put in.

Henry A. Westworth and family have moved from this village to Bethel town farm where they are hired by the town to take charge of carrying on the farm and caring for the inmates for one year.

WEST PARIS.

A. L. Bowker is clerking for F. D. Small.

Win McKeown has returned to his school at South Norridgewood.

Mrs. Julia B. Kimball is having her cottage, "The Pines," newly shingled.

Mrs. J. L. Marshall returned last Saturday from a week's visit to her mother and sister, at Lisbon.

Mrs. S. B. Locke, of West Paris underwent a surgical operation in the General Maine General Hospital in Lewiston, Saturday.

A little stranger in the form of a girl baby came into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bacon, at Trap Corner, Mrs. Bicknell, of Norway, is caring for the mother and babe.

Rev. D. F. Hanson has gone to conference this week. There will be no services at the Methodist church next Sunday.

Mrs. Nelson and children have been gone a week or so before, visiting relatives at Saco.

Mrs. F. S. Farnum will have her annual millinery opening, Friday and Saturday of this week, April 14 and 15. Mrs. Farnum has her usual stock of fashionable millinery, and an extra nice line of ladies' furnishings, including hosiery, shirt-waists, muslin underwear, infant's wear, wrappers, suit-waist suits, petticoats, etc. The leading colors in millinery this season will be browns and greens. There will be more flowers and flower hats than ever this year. Her store will be decorated in lavender and light green in honor of the opening.

Jennie M. Brown is going to assist her in the decorations, and Bessie Whitman is going to clerk for her during the millinery season.

HIRAM.

Sued Ossified Man for \$25,000.
The New York World of Wednesday printed the following special despatch from Philadelphia, Penn. Are all ossified men thought hearted?

Lillian Gillis, of No. 257 North Tenth street, is certain they are. She has entered suit for \$25,000 worth of damages to her too trusting heart against Charles E. Gilpatrick, of Hiram, one of the three ossified men known to science.

Gilpatrick came here from Boston, where the lovely Lillian, according to her story, met and was won by him.

Miss Gillis declares the faithless ossified one secretly absconded to Philadelphia. Gilpatrick declares there is nothing in the love story and that he'll be petrified before he pays a cent.

"The children with the streamlets sing, When April comes at last her wedding, And every happy growing thing, Laughs like a babe just roused from sleep."

Ernest Bisbee visited at A. B. Frost's, last Sunday.

Harlan Bartlett and wife have moved to the Marshall Swain farm in Hanover.

Mrs. Amos Frost is quite sick at this writing. Mrs. W. F. Bisbee is also on the sick list, and Mrs. N. W. Frost.

BRYANT'S FOND.

Deacon Richard L. Cole.
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SOUTH WATERFORD.

Mayflowers in the Land.
Mrs. Kimball had a few Mayflowers as early as April 10.

Not many are making maple sugar in this section this spring.

Rev. J. B. Howard preached his farewell sermon last Sunday, April 9.

It is reported that Mrs. Myra Learned will move back on her farm this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Bion Pike visited relatives in Sweden last Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Stearns bought a span of white horses in Norway. They are Western horses and well matched.

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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Visiting Odd Fellows.
Eighty or more members of Norway Lodge, No. 16, I. O. O. F., visited Mount Mica Lodge, No. 17, of South Paris, Thursday evening, and the Norway degree staff conferred the third degree upon four candidates. The work was exceptionally well done and called for much praise on the part of those witnessing the work.
Following the degree work and closing of the lodge, a supper was served in New Hall, which was bountifully spread and received ample justice from the guests. The Noble Grand, C. H. Howard, called on J. S. Wright as toastmaster and the latter called on the several representative Odd Fellows for remarks, introducing each by some apt allusion and the addresses were both serious and gay, not an incident lagging in the whole evening. The Norway team brought over an orchestra of three pieces, who played selections besides the music for degree work and elicited much applause. The Norway men are enthusiastic over their reception by their brother lodge.

Grand Castle of Maine K. G. E.
Members of Oxford Castle No. 2, K. G. E., went to Auburn last Thursday evening and attended the meeting held in Conway Castle hall in conjunction with the Grand Castle Session held that day. The first degree was worked by a team from Gloucester and Alhambra Castles of Lewiston, the second degree by Conway Castle, the third by Burrville Castle of New Auburn. The visiting men were finely entertained and express themselves as highly pleased with the work. The party was made up of Past Chief G. L. Curtis, T. S. Fox, Earl G. Felt, H. Giddens, Varne A. Rich, Geo. I. Wheeler, Guy N. Carter, C. Earle Swan, William C. Horne, E. Nye Gilbert, Mabery Mayhew and Claude W. Cox. They went on the afternoon express, returning Friday forenoon.

At the 14th annual session of the grand castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle of Maine, held at Auburn the past week, J. Waldo Nash of Norway was elected grand second guard.
In his report to the Grand Castle the Grand Chief John L. Reade said: "I visited officially Oxford Castle of Norway. *** is very flourishing. I visited on the night of their installation and every officer elective and appointive was on hand for installation."
A. J. Stearns was appointed on the committee on appeals.

Crossed wires caused several stray taps on the fire alarm system Thursday afternoon.

Wallace W. Sheen commenced in the hen business, Monday, by setting 80 eggs in an incubator.

F. A. Danforth, and wife left Pinehurst, N. C., the first of the month and expect to arrive here on or before May 1st. With other accomplishments Mr. Danforth has become an expert at golf and a kitter, my kitter's name is Tidewink, and a lamb named Daisy, five hens and a rooster. We have four horses named Tim and Jim, Nell and May. They are all white. I have a dog named Trip. I wish all the girls of my age would correspond with me. I will answer all letters as soon as possible. I am eleven years of age and weigh 119 pounds. I think Florence Kimball wrote a very pretty piece about a live dolly. Well, think my letter is not long enough so I will close, hoping to see this in the paper. Good bye, yours truly, GRACE M. CRIMMINS.

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The Old Road in Waterford.

Several times during the last few decades there has been an article inserted in the warrant for our annual town meeting, relating to the discontinuance of the old road connecting the village of Waterford and South Waterford. This movement has been strenuously opposed by a majority of the abutters on the line. And an article which recently appeared in your paper, "A Flea for the Old Road," might be somewhat misleading inasmuch as the inference is liable to be drawn that the abutter, who owns most of the land and pine trees on either side of the road, was instrumental in securing the insertion of the article in the warrant for our last annual meeting relating to this matter.

Such is not the case, however, for this gentleman knew nothing about it until he saw it in print, and instead of being in favor of discontinuance of this piece of road for the little gain that might some day accrue to him in growth of pine trees, is much opposed to it, and stands ready to do and has done more to make the road attract the and to perpetuate it as a highway than any man in town, and would much rather to-day pay his part of an appropriation to put the road in good condition for the traveling public than to have the same revert to abutters.

It is in regard to the appearance of the article in the warrant, the selectmen inserted it on their own responsibility simply to test the sentiment of the town and were approached by no man or men in regard to the matter, prior to the doing so. By a very few who favor the discontinuance of this piece of road it has been advocated that it should be done in order that the town would not be liable for any damage that might be sustained by any one passing through, but as the town would be relieved of that liability by the expenditure of a very few cents in warning the public that they traveled it at their risk, it seems hardly worth while to abandon it for that reason.

It is a recognized fact that a large part of the revenue coming to this part of the town is derived from those who spend the summer months here, and this same old road is one of the assets which helps to produce the revenue. Why not try to increase the beauty of the different places which make our town attractive, rather than destroy them altogether? And instead of criticizing the action, or anticipated action of others all work together with the same object in view, the interests of the whole town.

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Children's Corner.

East Stoneham, Me., March 28, 1905.
DEAR EDITOR.—As I have never written for Children's Corner, I will try my luck. I am a girl 13 years old. I have 2 sisters and one brother. His name is Raymond McAlister, age 17, and my sisters, Mrs. Mabel Barker, age 24, Mrs. Edith Chaplin age 23, all from East Stoneham.
I have for pets, 2 rabbits. I like to read Children's Corner very much but did not see any in this week's paper, so I will close with a riddle:
"Round the house and round the house and make only one track. From
MARION MCALISTER.

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Mrs. Tillie Hart, of Larimore, N. D., writes:
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Moses Roden is able to be about after a week of sickness. He is a good roofer.

Justus B. Mason has traded his three-year-old Verrick colt.

Elizabeth Fuller has been visiting her friends in Massachusetts.

Fred Irish with gasoline power has saved up Justus Mason's wood pile.

It seems very pleasant to have Adelbert Dunn in the neighborhood again.

George S. Record's daughter Bernice has been visiting Rev. Daniel A. Tuttle's family in Harrison.

Mr. Grey and wife and four small children have moved on to the late Mrs. Rachel Turner place.

Mrs. Herbert Irish and sister have returned to her home after spending three weeks in Auburn with her sister, Mrs. Wallace Hayford.

David Record is living with Geo. Record and family a few weeks. Most of his household furniture has been moved to North Buckfield.

DENMARK.
Ada Swan is gaining slowly.

Mrs. Elbridge Thorn is in poor health this spring.

Mrs. George Hill and Mrs. Ervin Ingalls went to Portland, Saturday, Apr. 1.

Mrs. Lydia Norton has gone to Vassalboro to visit her daughter, Mrs. Mabry. Rev. W. H. Palmer and sister have been visited by their cousin, Miss Sturdivant.

Mrs. Annie Purrington visited at Walter Bick's Friday, returning Sunday, April 2.

N. J. Foss of Cornish was in town on Wednesday and bought Mrs. A. H. Witham's black horse.

Lester Cushman of Lovell has moved to Mrs. Norton's rent and is working for Fred Sanborn.

WEST PARIS.
Pleasant Valley.
Fred Scribner has bought a horse.

C. L. Curtis has been appointed clearance carrier for the ensuing year.

Eldron Stearns has hired Clarence Holt to work for him this summer.

Leford Emery has been at home a few days. He has been working for his brother in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gates entertained a party one day recently, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stearns and their little daughter Annette.

PORTER.
Lewis Thompson lost a nice cow a few days ago.

Edgar Bickford has commenced to drive out with his grocery cart.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Harmon were made happy March 31st with a little girl.

Mrs. Walter Richardson, who has been confined to the house by sickness, is able to ride out.

John Cummings lost one of his horses last week. The horse has been failing for some time.

E. Rouds, who has been breaking a nice colt for Melvin Pearl of Parsonsfield, has taken it home.

Mrs. Abbie Gibbs passed away at the residence of her son, Edwin Gibbs, at Chicopee on Monday. Mrs. Gibbs was 70 years old. Her funeral services were held on Wednesday, Rev. Frank C. Braden officiating.

Albert Dean of South Paris was elected Grand Sentinel of the Grand Lodge, No. E. O. P., at the annual session held in Waterville, April 5.

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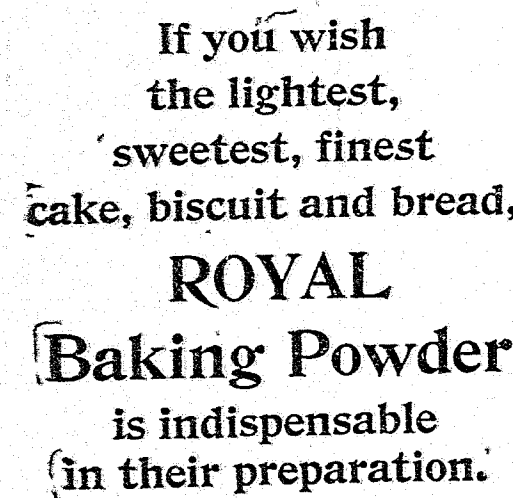
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use without a great fuss.

April 4, the Buckfield Literary club met with Mrs. Jennie Irish. As the club was organized April 1, 1895, the meeting gave somewhat of the nature of an anniversary. The program consisted of a paper reviewing the work of a decade, touching on the benefits derived through literary lines and friendly association.

Mrs. Jennie Irish gave a paper on the "Inventor of the Bell Telephone," accompanied by a personal letter from Prof. Bell, she having been acquainted with him in former years. Aside from the club's literary work it has furnished social entertainments for the girls, for those young in years to the "wax" haired generation, all entering into the spirit of the occasion with a zest seldom equaled. On mortuary occasions none are forgotten. When a club was organized they were the first to put as they have become since, hence seemed rather an innovation, but it has weathered a decade and retains the vigor of its youth.

There was a small attendance at the Grange meeting, last Friday night, on account of bad travelling. Those present listened to a reading by Mrs. Oliver Barker, "The Inventor's Wife," and "A Story of April First," read by Mrs. Bertha G. Keniston.

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